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**In re Application of:**

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**For. A SYSTEM FOR AND METHOD OF  
IMPLEMENTING A CLOSED LOOP  
RESPONSE ARCHITECTURE  
FOR ELECTRONIC COMMERCE**

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**To the Office:**

**This paper is in response to the Official Communication from the United States Patent Office mailed on June 21 2004. In this Official Communication, the Office rejected each of the pending claims. In this response, the Applicants respond to the Office's rejection of the pending claims.**

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